in the next award year up to 10 percent of the sum of its initial and supplemental FWS allocations for the current award year.

- (2) Before an institution may spend its current year FWS allocation, it shall spend any funds carried forward from the previous year.
- (c) Carry back funds. An institution may carry back and expend in the previous award year up to 10 percent of the sum of its initial and supplemental FWS allocations for the current award year. The institution's official allocation letter represents the Secretary's approval to carry back funds.

(d) The institution may use the funds carried forward or carried back under paragraphs (c) and (d) of this section, respectively, for activities described in paragraph (a) of this section.

- (e) Transfer funds to SEOG. (1) Beginning with the 1993-94 award year, an institution may transfer up to 25 percent of the sum of its initial and supplemental FWS allocations for an award year to its FSEOG program.
- (2) An institution shall use transferred funds according to the requirements of the program to which they are transferred.
- (3) An institution shall report any transferred funds on the Fiscal Operations Report required under §675.19(b).
- (f) Carry back funds for summer employment. An institution may carry back and expend in the previous award year any portion of its initial and supplemental FWS allocations for the current award year to pay student wages earned on or after May 15 of the previous award year but prior to the beginning of the current award year.
- (g) Community service. (1) For the 1994-95 award year and subsequent award years, an institution shall use at least 5 percent of the sum of its initial and supplemental FWS allocations for an award year to compensate students employed in community service activities.
- (2) An institution may request in writing from the Secretary a waiver of the requirement in paragraph (h)(1) of this section. The Secretary approves a waiver only if the Secretary determines that an institution has demonstrated that enforcing the requirement in paragraph (h)(1) of this section

would cause a hardship for students at the institution.

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§675.19 Fiscal procedures and records.

- (a) Fiscal procedures. (1) In administering its FWS program, an institution shall establish and maintain an internal control system of checks and balances that insures that no office can both authorize payments and disburse funds to students.
- (2) If an institution uses a fiscal agent, that agent may perform only ministerial acts.
- (3) An institution shall maintain funds received under this part in accordance with the requirements in §668.163.
- (b) Records and reporting. (1) An institution shall follow the record retention and examination provisions in this part and in 34 CFR 668.24.
- (i) Include a certification that each student has worked and earned the amount being paid. The student's supervisor, an official of the institution or off-campus agency, shall sign the certification. The certification shall include or be supported by, for students paid on an hourly basis, a time record showing the hours each student worked in clock time sequence, or the total hours worked per day;
- (ii) Include a payroll voucher containing sufficient information to support all payroll disbursements;
- (iii) Include a noncash contribution record to document any payment of the institution's share of the student's earnings in the form of services and equipment (see §675.25(a)); and
 - (iv) Are reconciled at least monthly.
- (3) Each year an institution shall submit a Fiscal Operations Report plus other information the Secretary requires. The institution shall insure that the information reported is accurate and shall submit it on the form

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and at the time specified by the Secretary.

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§ 675.20 Eligible employers and general conditions and limitation on employment.

- (a) *Eligible FWS employers*. A student may be employed under the FWS program by—
- (1) The institution in which the student is enrolled;
- (2) A Federal, State, or local public agency;
- (3) A private nonprofit organization; or
- (4) A private for-profit organization.
- (b) Agreement between institution and organization.
- (1) If an institution wishes to have its students employed under this part by a Federal, State or local public agency, or a private nonprofit or for-profit organization, it shall enter into a written agreement with that agency or organization. The agreement must set forth the FWS work conditions. The agreement must indicate whether the institution or the agency or organization shall pay the students employed, except that the agreement between an institution and a for-profit organization must require the employer to pay the non-Federal share of the student earnings
- (2) The institution may enter into an agreement with an agency or organization that has professional direction and staff
- (3) The institution is responsible for ensuring that—
- (i) Payment for work performed under each agreement is properly documented; and
- (ii) Each student's work is properly supervised.
- (4) The agreement between the institution and the employing agency or nonprofit organization may require the employer to pay—

- (i) The non-Federal share of the student earnings; and
- (ii) Required employer costs such as the employer's share of social security or workers' compensation.
- (c) FWS general employment conditions and limitation. (1) Regardless of the student's employer, the student's work must be governed by employment conditions, including pay, that are appropriate and reasonable in terms of—
 - (i) Type of work;
 - (ii) Geographical region;
 - (iii) Employee proficiency; and
- (iv) Any applicable Federal, State, or local law.
 - (2) FWS employment may not—
 - (i) Impair existing service contracts;
 - (ii) Displace employees;
- (iii) Fill jobs that are vacant because the employer's regular employees are on strike;
- (iv) Involve the construction, operation, or maintenance of any part of a facility used or to be used for religious worship or sectarian instruction; or
- (v) Include employment for the U.S. Department of Education.

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§ 675.21 Institutional employment.

- (a) An institution, other than a proprietary institution, may employ a student to work for the institution itself, including those operations, such as food service, cleaning, maintenance, or security, for which the institution contracts, if the contract specifies—
- (1) The number of students to be employed; and
- (2) That the institution selects the students to be employed and determines each student's pay rate.
- (b) A proprietary institution may employ a student to work for the institution, but only in jobs that—
- (1) Are in community services as defined in §675.2; or
 - (2) Are on campus and that-
- (i) Involve the provision of student services as defined in §675.2